The Bulletin's Circulation in Norwich is Double That of Any Other

ITALIANS BATTLING IN QUEST OF TRIESTE

On the Carso Plateau They Have Smashed Their Way Across the Timano River

THEY HAVE CAPTURED VILLAGE OF SAN GIOVANNI

Fortified Austrian Trenches in the Vinicity of Jamiano Have RACE RIOT LAST NIGHT Been Captured by the Italians-Austrian War Office Reports That 13,000 Unwounded Italians Were Captured on Sunday-British Airmen Are Operating Extensively Against the Germans, on the Front in France-Twelve German Machines and Three British Fliers Were Destroyed in Fights in the Air Monday.

Aside from the Austro-Italian theatre, especially the southeastern sector, especially the southeastern sector, and the Tealians are making for where the Italians are making and that near Castagnievizza attempts epirited efforts to break through the at an advance by the Italians failed.
Austrian line toward Trieste, little It asserts also that the Italian cas-

at an advance by the Italians failed. It asserts also that the Italian casualting of connequence is taking place on any of the battle fronts. Artillery duels captinue between the French and the Germans in the Champagne region of France, while along the front held by the British the operations are being carried out mainly by smell raiding parties.

On the eastern front the Russian artillery fire against the Austrians is increasing in intensity, probably presaging the awakening of the Russian from their letharsy and the approach of hostilities on a great scale.

On the Carso plateau, just above the head of the Gulf of Trieste, the Italians have smashed their way across the Timavo river and captured the village of San Glovanni, two miles northwest of Duino, on the railroad skirting the Gulf of Trieste, and leading into Trieste. Nine six-inch guns fell into the hands of the Italians.

To the north, in the vicinity of Jamiano, the Italians have captured fortified Austrian trenches and along the Julian front have made further gains and consolidated positions previously and consolidated positions previously tensity.

VACANCIES IN THE 150 STUDENT AVIATORS TRAINING FOR THE ARMY OFFICERS' TRAINING CAMPS

Caused by the Withdrawal of Candi-At the Six Colleges Which Are Aidin dates Are Not to Be Filled. Washington, May 28 .- The war de-Washington, May 28 .- Another lot of 150 student aviators for the army partment announced today that vacan-

cles in the officers' training camps re- went into training at the six colleges sulting from the withdrawal of candidates for commission or for any other reason will not be filled. tary life, and there has been a rush of applicants to fill the gaps. The deplicants to fill the gaps. The de-riment holds, however, that the first the first class finishes its course. The war department issued a state. weeks of the training course are ntial and will hold all applicants

essential and will hold all applicants up for the second series of camps to he started when the first series has completed its work. It is regarded as too great a handicap on the whole force, as well as on the individual, to men enter now and attempt to

STEAM VACHT TO BE

USED AS AMBULANCE SHIP. John A. Harriss of New York.

steam yacht Surf, presented to the national government by Dr. John A. Harriss of country. York has been ordered to join the Atlantic fleet as an ambulance suffer because of the war," it says, ship. The vessel is the first of her "The women of the country who stay kind the navy has received in this way at home must step in and see that the dependents and helpless of their com-Dr. Harriss not only tendered the munities do not suffer. On our women boat to the government free, but in- will devolve the responsibility of see sisted that he be permitted to meet ing that the aged, the feeble, the help-all of her expenses during her war ser-less, are taken care of." e. In making the announcement light, Secretary Daniels said he possible indictments for many other yacht owners would follow this example

CREATION OF A POLISH

ARMY IN FRANCE To Fight for the Re-establishment

Ancient Polish Kingdom.

The Temps announces that the creation of a Polish army in France is well It says it is intended to leged to have opposed the selective draft.

Scores of members were being callunder way. It says it is intended bring together a large number Polish elements living not only

The Temps adds that the project, they learned its real purpose. which has been under consideration for some time, is on the point of being MACHINISTS AT NEWPORT

ELECTION OF SUCCESSOR TO Will Be Held in the First New Hamp shire District Today.

Manchester, N. H., May 28. — The campaign in the First New Hampshire would strike tomorrow morning. The district for the election tomorrow of a Manchester, N. H., May 28. — The campaign in the First New Hampshire district for the election tomorrow of a successor to the late Congressman Cyrus A. Sulloway, republican, closed tought. Sherman E. Burroughs, the republican candidate, claimed the district by 1,800 votes, while his head-quarters claimed the solid support of more than 100 towns. Patrick Henry Sullivan, the democratic nomines, refrained from quoting figures, but declared himself confident of election.

New London Man in Casualty List.

Would Penalize Storers of Foodstuffs. Washington, May 28.—A bill by Senstor Poindexter of Washington, to punish malicious storing of foodstuffs and ether necessaries under penalties of from gix months to three years iment was favorably reported tolay by the senate judiciary

Folkestone Was Most Damaged London, May 28, 7.55 p. m.—Folke-stone was the town where the most lamage was done in Friday's air raid.

POWERFUL THAN DYNAMITE Grain Tablet Would Wreck th

IN EAST ST. LOUIS, ILLS. A Negro Shot in the Head and

East St. Louis, Ills., May 28 -A ne or was shot in the head and a dozer others were wounded in a riot here tonight that followed a meeting in the city hall auditorium called to protest against the importation of any more black laborers. Several recent

groes.

The meeting was attended by the mayor and city councilmen. When they departed at its close the crowd that had listened to the speaches against negro crime, most of them men, failed to disperse, but rushed to the district on Broadway where there are a number of negro saloons. The crowd met little opposition and according to po-NOTHER WAR TAX OF 10,000,000

FRANCS ON THE BELGIANS

kenhayn, German Governor.

WOMAN SUICIDES ON She Is Believed to Be Ann Wells New London.

lieved to be Ann Wells of New London, committed suicide by hanging in her stateroom on the steamer City of Lowell of the New London line as the boat was leaving her North River pier here topight.

Many republicans, including Former Speaker Cannon, repeatedly attacked the measure as wasteful. Chairman Lever of the agricultural committee declared heatedly in closing defeated to the state of the suicide declared in the suicide suicid New York, May 28.—A woman be-leved to be Ann Wells of New Lon-ton, committed suicide by hanging in her stateroom on the steamer City of A note and two letters were left by false issue, the wome. The note indicated that she had contemplated killing herself tlemen desire to propagate that ac-

EXPLOSIONS IN WAREHOUSE

The plan is to turn out 150 aviation ment today saving that men are still netded for this work. Applications to the aeronautical officer of the nearest UP LOCAL CHARITIES.

CITY OFFICIAL OF SEATTLE

narities," is the message sent by the women's committee of the council of Hulet M. Wells Spread Literature Ad "Our poor and helpless must not vocating Resistance to Draft.

> seditious conspiracy, growing out of the alleged distribution by Wells nad others of literature advocating resist-

TREASON OR CONSPIRACY Against West Texas Farmers and La

borers' Protective Association. Dallas, Texas, May 27.—The federal grand jury here today began investigating, with a view to possible in-dictments on charges of treason or conspiracy, the operations in [West Texas of the Farmers and Laborers Protective Association which is

the Government.

which are aiding the government in

Message Sent Out by Women's Com

mittee of Defense Council.

training.

NECESSARY TO KEEP

ulding up the corps. The first stu dents were received last Monday, and new classes will be started each suc-ceeding Monday until the full 600 are

France but in various allied countries who will fight under the Polish fing for the re-establishment of ancient Polish kingdom.

The Tamps adde that the project the scociation's activities.

Many witnesses are said to have resigned from the organization after

NEWS THREATEN TO STRIKE Shipbuilding Company Rejected De

mands For Increase in Wages. Newport News, Va., May 28.—Ma-chinists employed by the Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock com-

New London Man in Casualty List. Ottawa, Ont., May 28 .- The list of Casualties among Americans with the Canada overseas forces, reported here tonight, includes: reported missing now rejoined: J. T. Fellowes, New

Cardinal Gibbons purchased a of the Liberty Loan bonds.

Cabled Paragraphs House Passed the Programme For

TRY'S FOOD RESOURCES

of Food Resources Within Three

Washington, May 28.—The administration's food survey bill, first of the

food control measures, was passed by the house today without a record vote.

Material gathered will be turned over

Miss Rankin Inserted Amendment

The survey bill was passed virtually

it came from the committee, Mis Rankin, the woman representative from Montana, inserted an amendmen

which would require the department of agriculture to use women in the sur-vey work whenever practicable. An

endment by Representative

Kenzle of Illinois would permit citi-zens to refuse to go more than three

hundred miles from their homes o

Principal Amounts Appropriated.

As originally drawn the bill carried ore than \$18,000,000. These are the

Education for increasing production y waste elimination and conservation

Eradication of livestock diseases an vestock improvement work \$885,000.

Eradication of plant diseases and in sects \$441,000.

Much Opposition.

"It is not economy that these gen

counts for the opposition to the bill." he said. "It may be that the opposition can be accounted for because we

are carrying power in the bill to go into storage concerns and find out who is hoarding and who is speculating."

Debate in Senate.

The senate devoted the day to de

bating and adopting an amendment by Senator McKellar, reducing the appro-priation for the eradication of the cat-

To Consist of 4,000 Acres-Will Ac-

Trenton, N. J., May 28,-One of the

reatest training camps of the east fo

part of the new army will be locate near Wrightstown, N. J., on a 40,00

acre tract, according to a notice re ceited today from General Bell, com-mander of the department of the east

About 35,000 men and 7,000 animals can be accommodated on the site,

which, besides the camp, will provid

AN EXPLOSION IN HOLD OF

a rifle range and manoeuvring grounds.

AMERICAN STR. LACKAWANNA

While Its Cargo Was Being Unloaded

at a. Dock in Havana Harbor.

curred today in the hold of the Amer-ican steamer Lackawanna while its cargo of coal was being unloaded at a

dock in the harbor. None of the crew

was injured nor was the vessel ap-preciably damaged by the explosion or the fire which followed.

steamer by spies at Norfolk were re-

NOT GUILTY OF WIFE MURDER

George D. Walker Acquitted on the

D. Walker, charged with the murder of his wife, Mrs. Christine Walker, at their home in North Providence, on

OF PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE

Boston, May 28.-The New England

ing or diverting coal in transit.

NORTH PROVIDENCE MAN

scious.

commodate 30,000 Men and 7,000 An-

tle tick and other livestock from \$2,093,000 to \$825,000. A

rincipal amounts appropriated: For seeds, \$5,778,000.

General survey \$2,522,000

Miscellaneous items \$547,000.

bert C. Hoover, who will be to head the food administra-

out a record vote.

Weeks After the Bill is Signed

EXPLOSIVE 10,000 TIMES MORE

Talest Building in New York. New York, May 28.—Dr. D. De Walton, vice president of the American Medico-Pharmaceutical League, announced at the annual meeting and announced at the annual meeting and banquet of the league here tonight that he and his son, Mortimer, had discovered an explosive so powerful that a five-grain tablet would suffice to wreck the tallest building in New York. The discovery, he said, resulted from an experiement to find a cheap substitute for gasolene.

Dr. De Waltoff claimed that his explosive was "10,000 times more powerfull than dynamite."

en Others Wounded.

Havre, May 29, 1.20 a. m.—The Ger-man governor-general of Belgium, Ba-ron von Falkenhavn, has imposed a ron von Falkenhayn, has imposed a supplementary war tax of 10,000,000 francs on the Belgians. The provin-cial councils have been summoned to francs on the Belgians. The provin-cial councils have been summoned to meet on June 2 to decide on the method of raising this amount.

With the new tax the mount of m ey altogether exacted from the Bel-gians amounts to 720,000,000 francs. The increased cost of the upkeep of the typops occupying the territory given by the Germans as the reason this extra levy, which they deck cannot be considered as final.

THE CITY OF LOWELL

Seventy Persons Were Killed and 200

sons were killed and 200 injured in a series of terrific explosions and a fire which occurred in the warehouse diswhich occurred in the warehouse district of Osaka yesterday. The damage to property is estimated at about \$5,-000,000. The whole of Osaka and its neighboring towns and villages were thrown into a panic. The sound of the explosions was heard for fifty miles. The first explosion, which occurred in the Tokio warehouse company's storehouse, is believed to have been due to the spontaneous combustion of chemicals.

CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY.

States secret service operatives today arrested Hulet M. Wells, a city employe, former president of the Seattle Central Labor council, on a charge of

ance by force of the government's se-STRIKE SITUATION IN PARIS REMAINS UNCHANGED

Indications Are That Most of the Differences Will be Adjusted.

Paris, May 28, 5.16 p. m.—The strike situation in this city was stationary today because of the holiday. Indications were that most of the differences would be adjusted. government's appeal to the employers and employes to reconcile their
differences as a matter of patriotic
duty had a favorable effect and there
duty had a favorable effect and there where strikers had been most active. sponsible.

OBITUARY.

Peter van Wagoner. Paterson, N. J., May 28.—Peter van Wagoner, said to be the oldest member of the New York produce exchange, died in a hospital here today at the age of 82 years.

Colonel Edward M. L. Ehlers. New York, May 28.—Colonel Edward M. L. Ehlers, grand secretary of the grand lodge of Masons of the state of New York, died at the home of a son here today at the age of 77 years. He was one of the most widely known Materials and the struck the world having been a memsons in the world, havinb been a member of that fraternity for 51 years.

Colonel Ehlers was born in Denmark, January 31, 1840. He was a veteran of the Civil war in this country, one of the original thirteen members of Mecca Temple and the first man to become a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. He enjoyed the distinction of being one of a very few distinction of being one of a very few. distinction of being one of a very few on whom had been conferred the hon-

on whom had been conferred the honorrary degree of past grand master.

The Gulf Refining company at Pittsburgh, Pa., through its president, W. L. Mellon, last night announced a subscription of \$1,000,000 to the liberty loan.

Food Survey Bill Liberty Loan Week

FOR INVESTIGATION OF COUN- MADE PUBLIC BY TREASURY DE

CALLS FOR \$14,770,000 BEGINS NEXT SATURDAY

Washington, May 28.—Men, women and children in every walk of life are given places for active service in the programme for liberty loan week be-It appropriates \$14,770,000 for an immediate investigation of the country's food resources and for measures to stimulate production. A similar bill is under debate in the senate and may be passed there Wednesday. there toin a dozen

To Get Estimates of Food Resources.

The agricultural department expects to present a fairly accurate estimate of food resources within three weeks after the bill is signed. As soon as the measure becomes law, the department will start its 17,000 employes and the 150,000 voluntary crop reporters to hen they lowed that the made within three weeks will be supplemented with against three weeks will be supplemented with the monthly reports and probably by a effort by organized labor on behalf will start its 17,000 employes and the scribe for 150,000 voluntary crop reporters to work on the investigation. The preliminary report to be made within three weeks will be supplemented with make Wedi labor day, monthly reports and probably by a further complete report within six of the loan by organized labor on behalf

Saturday and Sunday, June 2 and Liberty loan days in the churchs. Clergymen will preach special ser-nons on behalf of the loan. Monday, June 4—Merchants and anufacturers' liberty loan day on

ers will unite in aiding the sale. of Tuesday, June 5—Professional and insurance men's liberty loan day. Every insurance agent in the country will devote the entire day to soliciting the subscriptions to the bonds and professional men also will devote much of their time to the same cause. Wednesday, June 6—Liberty loan labor day and automobilists' liberty loan day.

Thursday, June 7—Farmers' liberty oan day. Members of granges and ther farmers' organizations throughout the country will make a concert re subscription 8—Women's Saturday, June 9-Children's libert

This appeal to the members of the League to Enforce Peace, voiced by Former President Taft, its president, was issued tonight:
"The liberty loan should be first in
the mind of every citizen now as the most pressing step to a victory and the establishment of a lasting peace. The obligation to subscribe rests especially upon the members of the League to Enforce Peace. Victory means in their view something even more than the success of the United States and our allies. Service to the league is inseparable from service to untry just at this time is to buy her

conds. COMMISSIONED AS OFFICERS

Plattsburgh, N. Y., May 28.—Fout en members of the New England reg ent and seven members of the New York regiment of the mintary train ng camp here today were commission ed as officers in the reserve most of them going to the infantr section as second lieutenants. The first day of the third week of

the company was a strenuous one From 7 to 9 a. m. the men were en gaged in company drills and from 9.15 to 9.45 they were under bayonet in-struction. Detachments were taken to the bottom of a steep hill on the banks of Lake Champlain and with fixed ayonets were ordered to charge the

nemy" at the top.
The enemy consisted of bags of has and straw hung from posts. The men climbed the hill on a run and in a few minutes had every bag riddled with the points of their bayonets. RUMANIA SENDS ENTHUSIASTIC

SALUTATIONS TO UNITED STATES On Its Participation In the War With Entente Allies.

London, May 26, 11.55 p. m. — A pany from Jassy, the Rumanian capital, says M. Thomas, the French minister of munitions, has arrived there and that M. Kerensky, the Russian

On the occasion of the re-opening of the Rumanian parliament, the senate sent enthusiastic salutations to the United States state department on th participation of the United States in the war for the triumph of the prin-ciple of the nationalities for which Rumania is struggling side with the entente allies.

DERBY MAN HELD FOR Were Employed in Coal Yard-Shove

Was Used As Weapon. Derby, Conn., May 28.-Walter Bal Derby, Conn., May 28.—Watter Bal-lard, colored, who, it is alleged, caus-ed the death early today of a man named Wilson, also colored, by strik-ing him over the head with a shovel, inflicting a fracture of the skull, was arrested tonight and is being held to await the outcome of the coroner

The men were employed in a coal ard. No details of the affair were sclosed as Wilson died in Griffin hospital without regaining consciousness

PAPERS MEMORIAL DAY Saving White Paper.

New York, May 28.—The evening newspapers of New York city have decided not to publish any editions on Memorial Day. The purpose of this step is the conserving of white paper, and it is estimated that it will result in a saving of 250 tons. Condensed Telegrams

The first sanitary squadron of the

Paper, and its Total Circulation is the Largest in Connecticut in Proportion to the City's Population

The French Chamber of Deputies

Strikes in all branches of industry broughout Finland are reported in a dispatch from Heisinfors.

The University of Toronto conferred the degree of LL. D. on the Right Honorable James Balfour.

Five more Americans, university men, joined the Lafayett Flying Corps for active service in France. An amazing collection of bombs poisons and deadly baccilli were seiz-

ed in Christiana as part of the bag-

gage of Baron von Rosen, a Swedis

bleman and alleged Gern a \$6,000 gift from the New York The atre Assembly, a woman's organisa

John H. Weser, of Weser Bros. ano manufacturers, who died on May 18, left no will. His estate is esti-mated at \$1,125,000.

J. Kennedy Tod offered his exten-sive estate, Innis Arden, at Green-wich Point, to the Federal authorities

The German steamers Odenwald and President, seized at San Juan, Porto Rico, were allotted to the Navy Department for naval use.

Muskogee, Okla., was shaken by a terrible explosion of the Muskogee vitrified brick plant. Windows were broken all over the city.

During the last few days German aircraft dropped bombs on Russian towns situation in the Danube region, inflicting many casualties. The German papers daily contain long lists of farm fires, for which the protracted dry weather in northern

Germany is partly responsible. t, Nichola Avenue and 177th St., New

E. H. R. Green of New York, sub-scribed for \$5,000,000 in Liberty Bonds through the Terrell National Bank of Citizens of Rockaway Beach pre-sented a flagpole and American flag to the United States army detail on duty

Street railway companies in Massa-husett are seking relief from increas-

ng of higher fares. All unnaturalized Germans are to IN THE RESERVE CORPS after June 1. This announcement was States Thomas D. McCarthy.

The directors' meeting of the Pennhe purpose yesterday authorized Presdent Rea to subscribe for \$5,000,000 of

gence of a strike of workmen em-loyed in smelters at Cerro de Pasco. Peru, a city of 15,000 inhabitants, 130 The Associated Press is informed that the Geneva Red Cross received thus far the names of 97 Americans

The list was forwarded to Washington. Slackers in Kansas City, Mo., dis-covered a method to evade the selec-tive draft. At least four young mar-

All the German air raids on London BRAZILIAN CHAMBER VOTES and other English cities and towns have taken 427 lives. There were 21 of these raids in which lives were lost January 19, 1915.

George H. Frost, formrely a publisher of the Engineering News and late president of the Courier-News Publishing Co. of Plainfield, N. J. left an estate valued at more than \$1,000,000 to four sons.

Rio Janeiro, May 28.—The Brazilian chamber today passed the first reading of the government measure respectively. Noting Brazil's neutrality in the war between Germany and the United States. The vote was 136 to 3.

M. Skobeleff, Russian Minister of the United States.

Under the bill President Braz is au. posal that the State take over part thorized to take the necessary he metallurgical and mining in- to make the measure effective. elations between capital and labor.

David Bluvstein was standing in hi drug store on Amsterdam Avenue New York , when two strangers entered and cried: "Hands up!" He shouted and a shot was fired by one of the in-

The Chamber of Commerce of the

United States is conducting a refer-endum on a proposal to establish a

REVISING THE HOUSE WAR TAX

More than \$35,000 was subscribed to be Millinery Branch of the American Senate Finance Committee to Exempt Many Articles Levied Upon by the House

Miss Anne Morgan sailed for France there she will engage in war relief ork for some time.

JEWELRY, FILMS, GUM, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Tax on Yachts and Other Pleasure Boats Considered on a Tonnage or Length Basis-Provisions Call for a Cent a Pound Tax on All Second-Class Mail Matter and Three Per Cent. on Advertising in Second Class Publications-New Stamp Taxes Are Proposed on Perfumery, Cosmetics and Patent Medicines-No Decision Was Reached on Taxes on Admissions to Amusements and Other Places or on Club Dues.

bill, the senate finance committee today decided to exempt from taxation
many articles levied upon by the
house, to substitte stamp taxes for
the manufacturers' gross sales plan of
the house, and to consider new taxes
upon second class mail matter. The
latter were advocated by Senator
Hardwick and 1991 office department
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No Direct Taxation. was agreed that there should be no direct taxation on jeweiry, moving picture films, chewing gum, pianos and self-played musical instruments. For the house gross manufacturers sales tax of five per cent, the committee determined to substitute taxame taxes or the following. stamp taxes on the following: Me-chanical musical instruments, including talking machine records, athletic

Tax on Yachts and Pleasure Boats. For the house five per cent, tax on yachts and other pleasure boats, a new tax based upon tonnage or length was considered. A new tax upon con-

President Cabrera had President Wilson's war message to the American Congress translated for distribution among the citizens and school obits.

"As considered. A new tax upon confectionery was proposed by Senator Williams of Mississippi and favorably received.

On Amusement Plants of Mississippi and favorable of Mississippi and Mississipp Taxes on admissions to amusement places, and on club dues, were con sidered but no decision was reached hey will probably be retained, it was officially stated, in amended form.

Although the committee previously decided to strike out the house in-

receiving the new proposal of Senator Hardwick, backed by the post office de-

FORTY TO FIFTY ROBBERIES OF GAMBLING GAMES IN NEW YORK the Gambiers to "Squeal."

New York, May 28.—A sidelight or New York city's night life, which re-The directors' meeting of the Penn-glvania Railroad Company called for of gambling games being successfully concealed from the police, was dis-Serious disorders occurred in conse-

disposition on the part of the men robbed to keep quiet." When the news finally leaked out, however, 17 persons who had participated in the crap game were haled before the Slackers in Kansas City, Mo., discovered a method to evade the selective draft. At least four young married couples of Kansas City adopted babies within the last month.

Asher Haven, superintendent on the estate of Dr. Clifford J. Edgar, a New York physician, was killed, and his son, Winsted Haven, was probably the served that the corner of the served down the robbers of the gamblers, which have extended over a period of months and are believed to have netsected many thousands of dollars, have

son, Winsted Haven, was probably injured by a dynamite explosion. Injured by a dynamite explosion.

Frederick Rouch, a guard at the Virginia Beach wireless station, was slightly wounded in an exchange of shots with two men, who were apparently attacking the net around the station. all games of chance.

TO ABANDON NEUTRALITY n a period of 28 months, the first on Passed First Reading of Government's Measure 136 to 3.

Control by the Government of the production and price of coal from Illinois mines, unless speculators cease operations, was urged in a report of the conservation committee of the Illinois State Council of Defense.

The measure under consideration by the Brazilian chamber was drafted by the committee on foreign relations. It recommends the cancellation of the decree of April 25, 1917, which declared the neutrality of Brazilian than the war between Garmany and

INVESTIGATION OF DRAFT OBJECTORS COMMENCED

By Fred Robertson, United States At torney for Kansas.

Kansas City, Mo., May 25.—Fred Robertson, United States attorney for Kansas, today commenced inventigation of a draft objectors meeting reported to have been held at Topeka, Providence in the Country. the ers at the meeting advocated young men go to jail rather than reg

Washington, May 18.—Making rapid vides that the cent-a-pound second class rate shall be retained on series ill, the senate finance committee to-ay decided to exempt from taxation voted to advertising. He taid the

On Advertising Space. ing space being measured and the tax levied upon the percentage of lication's weight devoted to adve-tisements. It is expected that the na-proposal will be vigorously opposed to publishers.

If adopted it would probably be an addition to the direct advertising taand of two per cent, tentatively approve

The committee decision to strike our house gross rales taxes on tension moving picture films and chaming sum was said to be based on the general was said to be based on the general prioriple of eliminating special target on businesses and industries. The motion picture business, it was argued too, will be reached by the profits, corporation and amusement admiration profits.

New Stamp Tax on Perfumes The new stamp taxes proposed ; erfumes, cosmetics and patent medi-nes, it was said, probably would be

creases on second class mail matter under a zone system, it reopened the question of increased revenue From newspapers and magazines today by per cent, of the house bill will be em sidered by the committee formorro New York members are insisting partment.

Cent a Pound On Second Class Mail. greatly changed, especially the propose Senator Hardwick's amendment pro- ed free list.

TORNADO OF SUNDAY

In Kentucky, Tennesses, Arkansas end Alabama-About 350 Injured. Memphis, Tenn., May 25. Revised reports today from the sections of Kentucky, Tennessee. Arkaness and Alabama swept a series of torna-

of gambling games being a concealed from the police, was disclosed today when four men were indicted on charges of having entered a room in a hotel where a crap game was in progress and at the point of revolvers, held up the participants and robbed them of \$9,000 in cash and a quantity of jeweiry.

The progress of the participants have been progressed in the progress and at the point of revolvers, held up the participants and robbed them of \$9,000 in cash and a quantity of jeweiry.

The progress are the progress and at the point of the state, at least \$2 persons were killed and the mining campis at flavre, branch the progress and the mining campis at flavre, branch the progress and the mining campis at flavre, branch the mining campis at fl and robbed them of \$5,000 in a quantity of jewelry.

This robbery, like the others, was not reported to the police because, it was explained, "there was a marked fatallities, and in Tennessee Tieton. Diver and Carroll counties reported in the police of the men dead. The property damage in Alas-Dama is estimated at about \$1,000,000. No accurate estimate of the mometary loss loss in the other states

where life and property was It was stated that Mattoon would be able to contribute \$100,000 of the amount and that Charleston would be

asked to raise \$10,000.

After the conference Governor Lawden stated no legislative assemble
tions would be undertaken until relief plans had been commuteted.

VERDICT OF ACQUITTAL Against Harry Chandler and His As-

Los Angeles, Calif. Mas 28 -A #8 rected verdiet of acquitted was ordered today in the neutrality case against Harry Chandler, assistant server manager of the Los Angeles Times. Baltazar Ariles, former governor of Lower California, and foor others. ernment's evidence sld not sustain the specific charge of compliting to enter the military service of the pro-ple of Lower California.

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Commercial Pacific cablegrams for China and Japan will be censored in New York, it was announced last night, and senders are requested to file messages and translations in duther regular army up to last night. The month of conference between the Saturday brought in 1,335 men.